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CITY IS WINNER

LOWER COURT IS SUS-TAINED IN MIL-LER CASE.

Cincinnati Men Interested in Stock Yards Ask For

MODIFICATION OF GOVERNOR'S ORDER

Prohibiting Importation of Tubercular Stock Into State.

Funds Provided to Meet Expenses Created by Thatcher Trial.

Joe Miller was charged with the violation of the 10 o'clock closing ordinance on July 17, 1908, and found guilty in Mayor Robt's court and fined \$100 and costs. The case was carried to common pleas court on error, where the judgment of the lower court was affirmed. The circuit court affirmed the judgment of both lower courts, which has been affirmed by the supreme court in its decision rendered today.

Columbus, O., June 22.—Among the decisions handed down by the supreme court today are the following:

Jes F. Miller vs. City of Lima, Allen county. Judgment affirmed.

City of Cleveland vs. Commissioners Cuyahoga county. Judgment affirmed.

Samuel Yoeder et al. vs. Walter Yoeder, Stark county. Judgment affirmed.

Columbus, June 22.—President

Biggs of the Union Stock Yard Company of Cincinnati, and Thomas H. Paxton, of the legal firm of Paxton, Warrington and Sessions, are in Columbus to ask for a modification of the proclamation recently issued by Governor Harmon, at the instance of the state live stock commission, prohibiting the importation of tubercular cattle for dairy and breeding purposes into Ohio. They claim that the order is being misinterpreted.

Columbus, June 22.—The state

emergency board today will make an appropriation sufficient to cover the expenses of the trial of the disbarment case against Attorney Chas A. Thatcher, of Toledo.

The board will also allow State Highway Commissioner Wonder \$25,000 for road testing work.

ONE MORE LANDS.

Columbus, June 22.—State Mine Inspector George Harrison, today announced the appointment of Isaac Hall ex-mayor of Cannerville, a democrat, to succeed W. C. Wiper, of Maita, Morgan county, as deputy inspector for the fourth district.

BRIGHT AND EARLY

Reception Committee Began Extending Greetings of Cincinnati

TO VISITORS TO THE BIG TURNFEST.

Rains Prevented Drills at Stadium and Soaked Fair Grounds.

Cincinnati, O., June 22.—The large delegation committee was up bright and early this morning to greet the incoming delegations of turners from the Great North American turnfest. So far twenty-five turner societies are reported and 1,500 active turners are now camping in the tent city at the Cathage fair grounds. Besides these thousands of visitors have come to join in the festivities.

The rain last night prevented the drills at the large stadium downtown and deluged the fair grounds, where the turners sat in their army tents and over many a foaming glass of beer sang German songs until late into the night.

The Cincinnati high schools occupied the drill grounds with their annual meet. Tonight gymnastic exhibitions are to be given in the down town stadium. Up to this morning more than 60,000 persons had passed through the gates of the fest plats since the opening Saturday noon.

GRADUATION EXERCISES.

The graduation exercises of the Teachers Training Class of the South Side Church of Christ will be held at the church, corner south Central avenue and east Kirby street, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. N. Schuler, of Newark, O., will direct the address. The full program will be announced later.

JOAN OF ARC
Of Mexican Yacht's Mate Her-self to Death.

Mexican, Mexico, June 22.—Isaura Villanueva, Spanish woman who figured in a sensational romance, stabbed herself to death yesterday. The woman declaring herself the Joan of Arc of the Yacht's mate to incite the Indians to revolt against the Mexican government.

LIABILITIES OF MILLION DOLLARS.

New York, June 22.—Alleging liabilities of \$1,000,000, a petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday against the Leeds and Carlton Company, manufacturers and wholesale dealers in zinc and calendar records for talking machines by Leonard Groner, attorney for several creditors. The petition alleges that the company is insolvent, made preference payment of \$10,000 and transferred assets of \$50,000.

BLOUNT LAWYERS TO APPEAL CASE.

New Orleans, June 22.—That an appeal will be taken to the United States supreme court by his attorneys was the announcement made here today by Avery Blount, condemned to death for the murder of "Bub" Breeland, his wife and daughter, in Tangipahoa, a parish in Louisiana, a few months ago. The supreme court of Louisiana has affirmed the decision of the lower court, condemning Blount to death.

PHOTOGRAPHER AND TOPOGRAPHER.

Seattle, Wash., June 22.—The first expedition ever sent out by the National Geological Survey of Washington, D. C., to study the big glaciers of Alaska will sail from Seattle on the steamship Portland on Tuesday, to remain in Alaska to make scientific investigation until late in September.

The expedition will be headed by Prof. Starr, of Cornell, and Prof. Martin of the University of Wisconsin.

W. B. Lewis, of Washington, D. C., of the United States Geological Survey will accompany the party as topographer, and O. D. Von Engle, another member, is the photographe.

EDWARD KAUFFMANN

And First Cousin, the Son and Daughter of Two of Pittsburgh's

RICH MERCHANTS WED IN NEW YORK.

Special Train Engaged to Carry the Guests to Wedding.

New York, June 22.—Edward J. Kaufmann, son of Isaac Kaufmann and his first cousin, Lillian Kaufmann, daughter of Morris Kaufmann, of Pittsburgh, came here last in a special train and the first cousins will be married this evening at the St. Regis hotel, where arrangements have been made. Pennsylvania laws prohibit the marriage of first cousins, and for that reason they came to this city.

The fathers of the young man and young woman are proprietors of one of the largest dry goods stores between New York and Chicago. Miss Gould said she had known her cousin all her life but had been engaged to marry him only recently. Two special trains of Pittsburg guests are expected today.

TWO DISMISSED Arrested on Suspicion But Explained.

George Salhaney, a Syrian, was arrested on the Public Square Monday evening by Officer Sullivan, on suspicion. The defendant had a fair cargo of liquor on board, and two boxes of bracelets, one necklace and two pocketbooks. When brought before the mayor Tuesday morning he made a satisfactory explanation of the property he had in his possession and was released.

Edna Perkins, a colored girl, 19 years of age, was arrested by Officers Kelly and Conway on suspicion of being a shoplifter. The case did not materialize and the defendant was released.

WANT HIM REMOVED.

Columbus, June 22.—Representative George W. Bowers, of Pickaway county, accompanied a delegation of Morgan Station citizens who called on Governor Harmon today and requested that he put a new superintendent in charge of the custodial farm of the institution located there. They allege that the place is not being properly managed.

SAD NEWS Received by Friends of Mrs. J. L. Patty.

At noon today messages were received by the friends of Mrs. J. L. Patty, announcing the death this morning of her youngest daughter, Marguerite, at their home in Ithica, N. Y. No particulars were given, although it has been known here for sometime that Miss Marguerite was in ill health.

GOULD ESTATE

IN PORT WASHINGTON, AND LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA.

Produce a Large Array of Servants to Testify for Plaintiff.

SEVERAL MORE DAYS OF DOMESTIC

Tales Assured Before All of Them Have Told How Model

Mistress Gould Habits Are and How Choice is Her Language.

New York, June 22.—The task of rebutting the testimony of using profane language and intoxication on the part of Mrs. Katherine Clemons Gould, who is suing her husband, Howard Gould, for a separation and alimony, was continued at the trial today. The array of rebuttal witnesses includes housemaids, butlers, gardeners and various other employees from the Gould estates in Port Washington and Lynchburg, Va., and stewards and other servants from the Gould yacht Niagara. The trial has almost resolved itself into a battle of domestics.

Mr. Shearn, the plaintiff's attorney, said today he had about 30 more witnesses to call and that Mrs. Gould would probably testify again. The case is expected to occupy several more days of court.

James J. Branen, who was employed as a foreman at Castle Gould from May, 1904, to May, 1906, testified that he often met Mrs. Gould on the estate and never saw her intoxicated or never heard her use profane language.

Frank K. Bolin, a chef, employed at Castle Gould in 1906, testified that Mrs. Gould gave him his instructions about the bills of fare nearly every day between 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning. She often asked him to add a particular dish to the menu for Mr. Gould, he said. Bolin was chef aboard the yacht Niagara during the summer of 1906 and again in 1908. The witness said he never saw Mrs. Gould under the influence of liquor or heard her swear at the servants.

Frank Benach, a member of a firm of hair dressers for women, testified that he had dressed Mrs. Gould's hair on many occasions from 1902 to the present year. He remembered one particular instance in February, 1906, when Mrs. Gould attended Mrs. Lansbury's wedding at St. Thomas church, in this city, which Mr. Shearn asked him about. The witness said Mrs. Gould showed no signs of having drank any thing at that time. There was an allegation in the complaint charging her with intoxication on that occasion.

The witness said he accompanied Mrs. Gould to Palm Beach and dressed her hair twice a day while there at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and again in the evening.

"How long does it take to dress a lady's hair?" asked Mr. Shearn.

"If you are very particular it takes an hour, some times less," the witness said.

The witness said he had never smelled liquor on Mrs. Gould's breath, or seen her under its influence upon any of the occasions when he had dressed her hair.

"You are still employed by Mrs. Gould to dress her hair, are you not?" asked Mr. Nicoll on cross examination.

"Yes," was the reply.

William Lynn, proprietor of the Carroll hotel at Lynchburg was called and testified to Mrs. Gould's stay at his hotel in November, 1906, when it was testified that Mrs. Gould and Dustin Farnum were there together and ate their meals in Mrs. Gould's room.

The witness presented a bill dated November 19, 1906, made out to Mrs. Gould charging her \$211 for 21 days board at the hotel.

The witness said he did not observe Mrs. Gould's movements while at the hotel.

Mr. Nicoll asked the witness if he knew of Mrs. Gould's having telephoned Dustin Farnum to meet her at the hotel. He said he did not know of any such telegram.

Arthur L. Barney was questioned about the system of floor cloths and mirrors at the Hotel St. Regis at Philadelphia. Barney is an inspector at this hotel. It was testified, in answer to Justice Gould's questions, who took a hand in the questioning, that maid could be seen by mirrors arranged on the outer doors and other mirrors, whether or not the bed had been occupied, by opening the outer door, and without entering the suit of rooms.

NOTICE POSTED OF INCREASE.

Allentown, Pa., June 22.—Following the lead of other western Pennsylvania iron and steel firms the Empire Steel and Iron company today posted notices that the wages of its 1,200 men will be increased 10 per cent on July 1st.

DUTY

On Cement Increased Six Dollars and Half a Ton.

Washington, June 22.—When the senate met today Senator Aldrich offered several amendments to the tariff bill. They were agreed to by the senate and the various duties thus being fixed are as follows:

Salt petre, one half cent a pound; Keenes cement or other cement in which gypsum is used increased from three dollars and fifty cents to fourteen dollars a ton; iron, steel or other metal glazed with vitreous glass \$45 per ton. Asbestos and chromate of iron on the free list. The duty fixed on salt petre is the same as the rate fixed by the home bill, but the committee originally placed the article on the free list.

UPTON SINCLAIR GIVEN KNOCKOUT.

Chicago, June 22.—An order for one million pounds of beef was received from the British war department in London yesterday by one of the stock yards firms. This order is regarded as indicating the complete re-instatement of this country's meat supply upon its former solid basis, as it is the second received since the disclosures of four years ago. The first order was issued in February.

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MAN
With Wheel Chair To Have Inverted Perpetual Motion.

New York, June 22.—Another man registered a claim today as a discoverer of perpetual motion. He is Frank Mahon, a white-haired carpenter of Brooklyn, who has invented a wheel with 18 spokes. On each spoke is a sliding wheel which is connected with a pinion on the spoke behind. These sliding weights, Mr. Mahon says, makes one side of the wheel heavier than the other. Thus gravity makes the wheel revolve. Fearing that some one might steal his invention Mahon would not show it until he heard from the patent office.

DETROIT HAS THE PLUMBERS.

Detroit, Mich., June 22.—Master plumbers from every section of the United States, about 700 strong, are here for the 27th annual convention of the National Association of Master Plumbers which opened today. The plumbers will be here for four days. Pleasure is plentifully interspersed with the business sessions. The sessions of the convention will be held in light guard armory, where also has been installed a large exhibition of plumbing tools.

A ball at Harmon Hall, automobile trips about the city, a moonlight excursion on the river and an all day trip up to the St. Clair lake are among the pleasures planned.

COMPANY AGAIN ON SOUND BASIS.

Chicago, June 22.—The receivership of the American Straw Board Company was formally terminated today. All ancillary receiverships, it was stated, have been concluded. Today's action was forecasted some time ago when the receivers reported to the court that the company was again on a sound footing.

YOUNG OF MICHIGAN

Drops Bill in the Hopper to Control Issuance of Injunctions.

WOULD ALLOW FEDERAL COURTS

To Grant Them Only After Hearing on Bill of Equity.

Washington, June 22.—The regulation of the issuance of injunctions is provided for in a bill introduced yesterday by Representative Young of Michigan.

The latter would allow preliminary and interlocutory injunctions to be granted by the federal courts only after a hearing has been held on a bill in equity asking for the injunction. An order to show cause would be served upon the defendant at least four days prior to the hearing.

When a temporary restraining order was granted the applicant would have to file a bond to the amount of the injury which is claimed would be done by the act sought to be enjoined. The temporary restraining order would continue in force until the application for the preliminary injunction could be heard and decided.

PHIPPS GIVEN BREATHING SPELL.

Columbus, June 22.—Governor Harmon will not likely make any attempt to put W. L. Finley, democratic state chairman, in W. H. Phipps' place as state oil inspector until after he is given a copy of the report of the examination of the affairs of the office, which will hardly be ready before the end of the week.

The governor asked for information relative to the examination, but was informed this would not be at his disposal until the report was completed.

The report goes back into the time that Mr. Finley was in the office.

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"It is a long story and you will have to wait until a statement is written out."

Indianapolis, Ind., June 22.—The Hoosier Soon Tong, known among English speaking people as the Chinese Masons with headquarters in this

MISSING LING

LOCAL TAXES WILL INCREASE IN MANY CITIES AND COUNTIES.

This Will be Because of Local Conditions in Each of Them.

LEVY FOR STATE NEEDS IS SAME

Gov. Harmon Continues His Unearthing of Much Graft.

(By Orville C. Riddle.)

COLUMBUS, O., June 22.—At this time county commissioners and city councils are fixing up their local levy for the ensuing year.

A survey of the state would show a remarkable decrease in the valuation put on personal property by assessors in a number of counties this year. This may be traced to several causes, not the least of which is the panic of the past two years. It is hardly necessary to state that this was not a "democratic panic."

In a number of counties the commissioners have found it necessary to increase their local tax rate. This is true of democratic counties and republican counties alike, so that there is no politics in it. The reasons given are in most cases the same—the loss of liquor tax, (in dry counties,) the decennial appraisement, (hereafter to be quadrennial appraisement,) assessments under the new state road law so as to obtain the allotted share of state and through the state highway department, and local improvements.

Some of the dry counties will get through without an increase, as other funds will be shaved to make up what the county poor fund heretofore derived from the saloon tax.

All of the four larger cities are threatened with a higher tax rate, and all of them receive large revenues from the saloon tax. The reasons differ. Cincinnati, having special bond issues for local improvements, Cleveland for hospitals, Toledo for schools, and Columbus for general purposes. Some of the smaller cities that are wet also will have increased taxes for local purposes, others that are dry on account of the loss of the saloon tax; still others will pull through by reducing the police force or paring other funds to make up for the loss of revenue from saloons.

It will be seen therefore that local taxes will increase in a number of cities and counties for reasons that are entirely local. The state levy remains the same, (1345 mills per \$1,000) so that no part of the increase in taxes in the counties and municipalities is for state purposes. This is an important fact to keep in mind.

Not many weeks ago a number of republican papers published the statement that Governor Harmon's administration would mean more taxes and that the governor was looking about him to see where the increased taxes could be put on. Of course the charge was false, because Governor Harmon urged the legislature to create one state tax board to take the place of a dozen ex-officio boards so as to prevent at very thing by better enforcement of the laws we have to make up the state's loss of revenues.

It will be well to remember, therefore, when it comes time to pay the increased taxes of cities and counties next year the reasons that were given when the local rates were fixed, all of which are entirely local and none of which can be traced to Governor Harmon's administration.

When certain republican papers

which stand in their state machine to such cities as Toledo, reported that Governor Harmon three weeks ago because of changed graft and rotteness in his campaign speeches had lied and hadn't found anything wrong elsewhere, they didn't expect him to call them blind so soon.

They didn't expect him to uncover the first on the Atlantic coast in the pay roll of the state marshal. They didn't expect him to cover the downcast nose of the marshal in the state fire marshal's office for \$2,400 salary and \$1,000 expenses as "special counsel" to the one who Rogers was fire marshal.

They didn't expect Governor Harmon's new penitentiary board to dig up nearly \$32,000 due the state on contracts at the penitentiary under former administrations that cannot now be collected because the parties to such contracts are insolvent.

These machine-serving republican papers have not been so clamorous of late for Governor Harmon to make good his charges of "graft" and "rotteness." They don't know what he'll show us next.

Little surprise was created by the action of the State Bankers Association in adopting resolutions against the postal savings bank as well as the guaranty of bank deposits. We knew last fall that the postal savings bank proposition was a campaign dodge worked by Mr. Taft for all it was worth in opposition to the protection of bank deposits as favored by the democratic platform, and we don't blame the bankers for re-pudiating it.

As far as the guaranty of deposits, it is significant that in Oklahoma 71 national banks surrendered their charters during the past year and re-organized under the state law "in order to take advantage of the state guaranty law." It can't be such terrible thing to guarantee deposits or the Oklahoma bankers would stick to Uncle Sam and take out insurance on deposits as advised by Attorney General Wickersham of President Taft's cabinet.

There is one weak spot in Mr. Wickersham's plan, however. It may be a good thing for the insurance companies to guarantee the safety of banks, but who is going to guarantee the insurance companies?

Another strange thing about the action of the Ohio Bankers Association in state convention was the unanimous vote in favor of abolishing a flat rate of interest on deposits. We notice that under a democratic state treasurer the competitive bid is putting about \$1,000 per week into the state treasury as interest on deposits. So far as a flat rate is concerned, that is what was wrong with the rate under republican state treasurers, it was too flat.

After W. S. Rogers was removed from the office of fire marshal he announced that he would write Governor Harmon a letter, demanding an official statement of the governor's reasons for removing him. Why doesn't Rogers write that letter?

He did write the governor a letter protesting against his removal, but he took very good care not to ask why he was removed.

It isn't likely that Rogers ever will write the governor the kind of a letter he said he would write. He doesn't dare to do it; because if he does the governor will be sure to answer and give all the details.

It would seem a bit strange that when the state board of agriculture was under republican control the amount turned into the state treasury in almost a year should be all druggists.

CURE FOR ECZEMA

Gives Relief in a Night and Makes Complete Cure in Short Time.

The remarkable demand for Hokus the skin food, at Wm. M. McVille's is not surprising when it is remembered that even in the worst cases of eczema it stops the itching within a few days, dries the diseased skin almost immediately and cures chronic cases in a few weeks. In lesser troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, berber's itch, acne rash, etc., a few days use will usually cure.

In order that no one may be kept from using Hokus by the cost a little sized jar, is sold for 25c at Wm. M. McVille's drug store. Furthermore, if Hokus does not do all that is claimed for it, even this small sum will be returned.

reputations; and that since Governor Harmon made the board bi-partisan with a democratic secretary the amount turned in amounted to \$2,500 in less than six months without any state fair receipts. That's pretty good reason for an investigation, isn't it? There ought to be more democrats at the state house.

Many of our citizens are drifting towards Bright's disease by neglecting symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble which Foley's Kidney Remedy will quickly cure. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

ELLIS BARTHOLOMEW

Sentenced to Leavenworth

Penitentiary for 18 Months.

CONVICTED OF DEVISING SCHEME

To Defraud and Using the Mails to Carry Out Plans.

Ellis Bartholomew, bank and railroad promoter of Toledo, who was arrested two months ago on the charge of using the mails to defraud, (the charge being made by the American Bankers' Association, has been sentenced by Federal Judge Taylor to serve 18 months' imprisonment in the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas. Bartholomew gave a \$5,000 bond to file motion for a new trial in 20 days.

Bartholomew was charged with devising a scheme to defraud, and of using the United States mails in the furtherance of that scheme. The offense was committed according to the indictment, on January 2, 1907.

Bartholomew had a bank at Galion, O. Because of the fact that he was the head of the bank, he secured from the Bankers' Money Order Exchange a book of money orders. These, under the law, are to be sold to people who want them, and the money sent immediately to the bankers' exchange.

Bartholomew is charged with selling the money orders issued to the Galion bank and of using the proceeds for himself.

Ellis Bartholomew is well known in this city, where he lived for several years, during which he devoted his time to inventions and their promotion.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Best on the Market.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and find it to be the best on the market," says E. W. Tardy, editor of The Sentinel, Gainsboro, Tenn. "Our baby had several colds the past winter and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always gave it relief at once and cured it in a short time. I always recommend it when opportunity presents itself." For sale by all druggists.

JUNE.

Bride of the northland year,
Scented with fragrance of hope and cheer.

Clothed in staple green, and roses Rich in promises, she neatly poses.

In the cool inviting shade,
Free from busy marts of trade,
Waves of sunlight, trickle through
Mounds of green, between the blue

Balmy nights, that woo and win,
Lovers meeting, laugh and sing
Merrily, the hours flee
While beneath the trysting tree.

All the air is filled with sweetness,
All of nature vies in neatness;
Matin music and twilight hues
Eyes are feasting on scenic views.

Clouds collect in mammoth domes,
Bring the horizon with snow capped thrones;

Signal lights, at night declare
Local showers are due—beware.

Every breeze wafts sweet perfume,
More than you or I consume;
Lavish in her beauteous gifts
Stimulates, and man uplifts.

—C. W. WESTBAY.

ERIE R. R. fast train No. 9 leaving Lima at 3:03 p. m. arrives at Chicago 8:45 p. m. and connects with limited through trains on all lines for Colorado and Pacific coast points. No extra fare for this excellent service. 8-8-tod

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The Greatest Fleet of Side-Wheel Passenger Steamers in the World.

The nine steamers of the D. & C. Lake Lines are the largest, speediest and most luxurious on the Great Lakes. They operate regular and punctual service between Cleveland, Detroit, Buffalo, Toledo, Mackinac and all Lake Ports. Send for the illustrated pamphlet that tells all about the steamers, the service and the places to go. Enclose two cent stamp to D. C. Navigation Co., Wayne St. Detroit, Mich. 217-ft

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Coupon Day.

Wednesday Coupon Day

Coupon Day.

At The BOSTON STORE

One Dollar Spent at the Boston Store on Coupon Day
Goes as Far as Two Dollars Generally Do.

Every thrifty buyer shares in the weekly money savings and no wonder—when they can buy staple, seasonal goods at about half regular prices. Clip the Coupons and make the savings yours. Other stores never offer such economies, even in their most spirited sales efforts. How plainly and forcibly these coupon bargains illustrate our leadership in value giving.

COUPON

Women's Jacket Suits

\$1.98

Washable Coat Suits, with long Jackets, white and colors, everyone worth double.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

WOMEN'S 30c BATISTE CORSETS

29c

All sizes, in new model, light weight Corsets, with 4 hole supporters attached.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

Sc UNBLEACHED MUSLIN, YARD

5c

Yard wide heavy firm weave muslin, never equalled elsewhere under 5c yard.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

Women's 19c DUTCH COLLARS

6c

White Lawn and Swiss Dutch Collars, Lace and Embroidery trimm'd, large variety.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

23c WIDE SHEETING, YARD

14c

Two yard wide, good quality unbleached double bed sheeting, never sold less than 23c.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

APRON GINGHAM, YARD

31c

Good quality fast color Apron Checks, sold at a price no other store attempts.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

30c TABLE LINEN, YARD

30c

2 yard wide, unbleached Table Linen, the kind you have always paid 50c for.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

10c INDIA LINENS, YARD

6c

Best 10c quality white India Linens, also Persian Lawns and checked white goods

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

BOYS' SILK WINDSOR TIES

11c

Regular 25c quality Silk Windsor Ties, beautiful line of pretty patterns, all shades.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

BOYS' 25c UNION SUITS

29c

Celebrated "Oneita" Union Suits for boys, good quality Balbriggan, best 5c grade.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

MEN'S \$1.00 UNDERWEAR

49c

Sample line Imported Silk Lisle Shirts and Drawers, best \$1.00 grade in the United States.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

CHILD'S 30c ROMPERS

17c

Boys' and girl's one-piece Ginghams and Chambray Play Suits, sizes 2 to 6 years

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

10c DRESS LAWNS, YARD

6c

New stripe, plaid and figured designs, in Scotch zephyr lawns, every yard worth 10c.

(T) None sold without this Coupon.

COUPON

5c PEARL BUTTONS, DOZ.

1c

Clear white, ocean pearl buttons, same as others sell at 5c dozen.

LEAGUE LEADERS WERE TAKEN INTO CAMP BY MARION DIGGERS.

Ralph Munk Supplants Spit-ball Miller in Second Inning.

MARION TEAM IS IMPROVING.

Portsmouth Shut Out by the Lanks.—Rain Carded at Newark.

GAMES TODAY.

Portsmouth at Lancaster. Mansfield at Newark. Lima at Marion.

Yesterday's Results. Marion, 7; Lima, 1. Mansfield vs. Newark. Rain. Lancaster, 1; Portsmouth, 0.

How They Stand. Clubs. Won. Lost. Pet. LIMA 20 18 .625 Lancaster 24 19 .558 Mansfield 25 21 .543 Portsmouth 22 26 .458 Marion 22 29 .431 Newark 21 21 .404

By F. L. Kramer. Marion, O., June 22.—It is now beginning to look as if Marion had hit a winning streak and with an even break with luck the Diggers appear as strong as any of the teams. The league leaders were taken into camp for the second time Monday in as many games of the present series. Aided with passes, a bundle of good hits and an error the locals scored seven runs in the first two innings while the best effort of the Cigarmakers was one run resulting from a pass and a hit.

About 300 fans saw the trick turned and were given a good exhibition for their money. The big lead secured by the locals took much of the glee out of the visitors and as there seemed but little doubt to the result, the interest of the fans lagged a trifle. However they were taking no chances on the visitors making a finish like that of the locals Sunday, so very few left the park until the final frame was over. Some pretty playing featured the contest with the hard and timely stick work of the locals.

Ray Hancock was selected by Manager Lewis to do the heaving and although Hancock informed him that he was not right and would prefer to wait until Tuesday, he was told that today was the real time for him to win and he went to the mound with this thought. He twirled in beautiful style, allowing the Cigarmakers but five hits which he kept stung out. Three hits came scattered in the first six frames with no passes during this time and the result was that Lima never had a chance to score. Then Hancock began to feel perfectly safe and eased up a trifle with the result that Lima counted in the seventh, but what mattered one run. Hancock was given fine support, two double plays being pulled off on the infield while the gardeners got every thing that was possible and much came near pulling one down that looked impossible.

Walter Miller, the spit ball artist on whom Marion once laid claim, was in the box for the visitors at the opening. Miller lasted just one inning and in this short time he was given hisumps for sure. A pair of singles with a pass sandwiched and followed by a home run netted four runs and proved the undoing of the Lima bunch. Munk was sent in to replace Miller when the locals came in for the second swatfest. But for Fink's error Munk would have gotten away fairly well, but as it happened three runs were made in his first round of delivering the pill. After this inning he worked in good shape, but three scattered hits being made which brought no fruit.

Willoughby put Miller in an awful bad hole in the first inning, single handed, he caught one of the pitcher's benders on the nose and returned it with great force. Miller's effort to knock down the hit resulted in the ball caroming off his bare hand towards short and Willoughby beat it out. While Wolfe was trying to sacrifice, Willoughby pifferred second and set Miller crazy by stealing third. Wolfe was then passed. Miller being unable to locate the plate. On the first ball pitched to Farrell, Wolfe purloined second and Farrell scored the two runners with a drive to left. Williams flew out to Reilly and Staley followed with a grounder to Newnham. Farrell being taken at second. Johnstone then met the leather with terrific force, sending the sphere to right center. Staley scoring on the blow while on reaching second Johnstone was surprised to find that the ball had left the park through a hole under the fence and he completed the journey home.

Hancock was the starter of the trouble in the second inning by working Munk for a pass. Willoughby repeated his act of the first inning by returning one to Munk, the ball hitting the pitcher in the stomach and doubling him up. He looked for the ball in his cramped condition, but it was no place to be seen. When he straightened up the pill dropped from its hiding place, but it was too late to catch anybody. Wolfe fouled out trying to sacrifice and Farrell flew out to Foutz. Fink then booted Williams' easy grounder and the socks were clogged. Staley did the unloading act with a terrific smash far over Foutz's head which counted for three bases. Johnstone ended the inning with a pop to Newnham.

The only run of the Cigarmakers came in the seventh while they were beat out of a second by a beautiful piece of work by Farrell and Staley, the former having taken Wolfe's place at short. Miller was first up and secured the first pass issued by Hancock. Foutz died on a grounder.

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GAMES TODAY.

National League. ALL GAMES POSTPONED. American League. Washington at Philadelphia. New York at Boston. St. Louis at Detroit. American Association. Columbus at Kansas City. Louisville at Minneapolis. Toledo at Milwaukee. Indianapolis at St. Paul. Central League. Wheeling at Terre Haute. Zanesville at Evansville. Grand Rapids at St. Wayne. South Bend at Dayton.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. Pittsburgh, 5; Philadelphia, 3.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	38	13	.745
Chicago	35	18	.660
New York	24	22	.522
Cincinnati	28	26	.518
Philadelphia	24	25	.490
St. Louis	23	30	.433
Brooklyn	17	33	.340
Boston	13	35	.271

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. Washington, 6; New York, 4. New York, 3; Washington, 2. Detroit, 2; St. Louis, 0. Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 5. Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 1. Cleveland vs. Chicago. Rain.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
LIMA	35	18	.648
Fink, 2b.	4	1	.333
A. Reilly, lf.	3	0	.000
R. Miller, rf.	2	0	.000
Foutz, cf.	4	1	.333
Sykes, 1b.	4	2	.500
Newnham, ss.	4	1	.333
Weller, 3b.	3	0	.000
Gavin, c.	2	0	.000
W. Miller, p.	0	0	.000
Munk, p.	3	0	.000

AMERICAN ASS'N.

Yesterday's Results. Columbus, 6; Kansas City, 2. Toledo, 2; Milwaukee, 1. Louisville, 3; Minneapolis, 1. St. Paul, 5; Indianapolis, 0.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Milwaukee	33	29	.532
Columbus	34	30	.531
Indianapolis	34	30	.531
Minneapolis	32	39	.516
Louisville	32	30	.516
Toledo	28	52	.467
Kansas City	27	32	.458
St. Paul	24	31	.430

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. South Bend, 6; Dayton, 2. Ft. Wayne, 3; Grand Rapids, 2. Terre Haute, 3; Wheeling, 2. Evansville vs. Zanesville. Rain.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
LANCASTER	AB	H PO A E	
Reynolds, 2b.	4	2	.500
Mumphreys, ss.	2	1	.333
Gowdy, 1b.	3	0	.000
Mullier, lf.	3	0	.000
Lallier, 3b.	2	0	.000
Corbin, cf.	2	0	.000
Carter, rf.	3	0	.000
Williams, c.	3	0	.000
McGuire, p.	3	1	.250

FUNERAL OF DOVEY.

President of the Boston League Club Was Largely ATTENDED BY BIG BASEBALL MEN.

CANAL ZONE HAS DEVELOPED HIGH CLASS LOT OF FANS.

New York, June 22.—Base ball follows the flag even in our hot tropical possessions. In the Panama Canal zone two leagues played a series of games during the season just closed there. The sport has taken such a hold on the people that it is proposed to put up a new base ball park prior to the opening of the next league season. The Panama railroad company has granted the ground for the purpose, and the business men of Colon are contributing to a fund for the erection of an inclosure and grandstand. The games drew attendances varying from 600 to 1200 each game.

LINKE LEADS.

Linke, who last year was with the Cigarmakers, leads the American Association as the best pitcher who has worked in over ten games, with ten victories and four defeats. His average is 74.

CASH SUPPLY IS TOO SHORT FOR TRIP TO JAPAN.

Madison, Wis., June 22.—It does not seem likely that the ball team will make its contemplated trip to Japan to play a series of games with the team of Keio University of Tokio. It will require \$4,000 to pay the expenses of the team on the trip and while the Japanese are willing to contribute \$2,000, it will be necessary to raise \$2,000 by subscription from alumni now attending the commencement exercises or in some other manner.

The athletic council has declined to finance the project. A movement has been started to induce the wealthy alumni of the university to subscribe the necessary \$2,000.

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RAILROAD PREVIEW.

Heavy Tonnage. All railroads in the Pittsburgh district are handling more than 30 per cent as much tonnage as they did in 1907, when they were operating to capacity, and the higher officials feel confident that the high mark of two years ago will be reached within the next month. They also assert that they are handling this business with less effort than in 1907, on account of the increased facilities installed during the last two years.

Shippers have advised the carriers that many of their plants are being operated to capacity and that there will be a still greater increase in railroad tonnage as soon as the material is ready for shipment. The demand for freight cars has been much greater than at any time in the last two years, and the surplus equipment at present is scarcely noticeable on some of the initial lines.

C. H. & D. Tip.

New York, June 22.—There has been a sharp rise in the price of Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton 4½ per cent notes—from 66 to 70. It is believed that this rise is due to the fact that sufficient deposits of notes have been made to assure the success of the re-adjustment plan. On the successful conclusion of this re-adjustment plan it is believed that the notes will justify a price considerably above 80.

To Record Verdict.

Washington, June 22.—The mandate of the supreme court of the United States in the anthracite coal road cases, involving the validity of the commodities clause of the railroad rate law, which was issued last week, is in the hands of the attorney general. The mandate was prepared and issued at the request of the attorney general, who is considering the course to be pursued in the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Pennsylvania, where the case originated, as that court was reversed. In support of the constitutionality of the law it will be necessary for the lower court to take the matter up anew and record a verdict in accordance with the direction of the supreme court, and presumably this will be done under the guidance of the attorney general.

The decree will be issued as soon as counsel for the railroads can have a conference with Mr. Ellis, assistant to the attorney general, and agree upon its form.

Loss of Millions.

Chicago, June 22.—A bulletin made public here yesterday by the Bureau of Railway News and Statistics shows that the operation of the 2-cent fare law in Illinois cost the railroads of the state \$15,609,900 during the last fiscal year. On this point the bureau takes issue with the report of the Railway and Warehouse Commission which states that the roads showed an increase of nearly \$2,000,000 in earnings because of increased travel due to the lower rates. This showing in the report is said to have been due to a change in the method of accounting, and not to inaccuracy.

Use Steel Wheels.

Pittsburgh, June 22.—The awarding of big contracts for rolling stock by the railroads has developed the fact that an agreement has been reached between the railroads and steel car wheel manufacturers on specifications for car wheels. For a time it looked as though the steel wheel controversy would cause a further delay in awarding contracts for freight cars, but it was announced Saturday that all trouble is over, for the present, at least, concessions.

More than 1,000,000 car wheels will be required this year for the new equipment being built and to replace the wheels used on the cars in service at the present time. Certain changes have been made in the specifications which, railroad officials assert, will mean a big saving to the railroads in repairing cars. Figures compiled by some of the larger systems show that expenses due directly to defective car wheels have been increased fully 200 per cent in the last five years.

On account of the increased demand for car wheels it was stated Saturday that the United States steel corporation will begin work in the near future on the construction of a \$3,000,000 steel car wheel plant, for which President W. E. Corey announced plans when in Pittsburgh several months ago. Local officials have not selected a site for the new plant.

C. P. Train Held Up.

Vancouver, B. C., June 22.—Canadian Pacific train No. 97, westbound, was held up at 10 o'clock last night near Kamloops, by four men.

Arbitrators Meet.

Atlanta, Ga., June 22.—The Georgia railroad arbitration board met this morning to begin taking testimony in the dispute in the case between the railroad and its white firemen.

It was evident from the opening that the strikers would demand as wide a latitude as possible in the testimony.

Theme Is Coal Rates.

Toledo, June 22.—Adjustment of freight rates, which Ohio coal jobbers say now favor West Virginia operators, will be the principal theme of discussion in the meeting of coal dealers of Ohio, Michigan and Indiana, which began here today.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

THE MARKETS.

New York, June 22.—Traces of unsettlement and feverishness following yesterday's break in prices were still perceptible in the opening stock market today. There were large dealings and prices moved sharply in either direction. Running sales of 4,000 shares of Southern Pacific were made at 127½ and 127 compared with the close last night of 127¾. Union Pacific on the other hand rose a fraction and the preferred 1⅓. United States Steel de-

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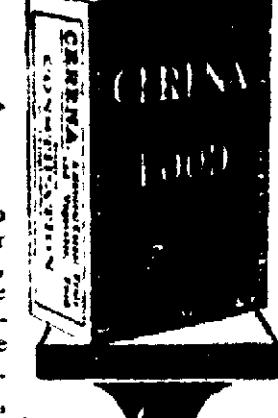
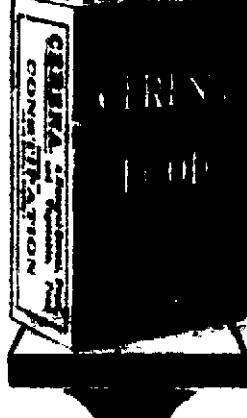
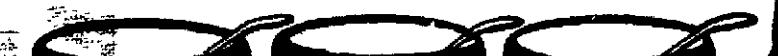
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CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic County Central Committee of Allen County, Ohio, held at the upper court room of the court house in Lima, on Saturday, June 26th, 1909, at 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of filling vacancies now existing in the committee and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the committee. There will be no meeting on Saturday June 12th, as heretofore announced.

JOHN F. LINDEMANN,
Chairman,
J. P. Kilgore, Secy.
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WEATHER.

Washington, June 22.—Ohio, showers tonight or Wednesday.

ROOSTING HARMON.

Inasmuch as Governor Harmon is to be Ohio's presidential candidate in 1912, and is being regarded as the logical candidate in all parts of the country, it is pertinent to reproduce a portion of a letter he received from the Hon. Guy Potter Benton, president of Miami University, thanking him on behalf of the faculty and trustees for his presence and address at the centennial exercises of that institution last week. President Benton said:

"We honor the great governor of our great state and wish him well in his office and advancement to a higher position of service for his country."

Next to being governor of Ohio there is no "higher position" in this country than the presidency, and that is the place the Miami officials want to see Governor Harmon elevated to.

Dr. Benton's letter carries additional significance because it was signed John W. Herron, of Cincinnati, who is President Taft's father-in-law.

NOTHING TO TEST.

Speaking of testing the arc electric lights that are supposed to light the streets, it is only necessary to say that it is no longer necessary. The contract is made with the Electric Lighting Company to light the streets with 2000 nominal candle power lamps. Prior to the granting of such a franchise by a republican council, there was occasionally an arc street lamp showing a glimmer enough to suggest a test to discover just how small an amount of current could be made to show a color of light, but since the contract is closed there is no longer any light at all, and consequently there is nothing to test.

The real truth of the matter is that the mammoth and costly electricity producing plant on north Elizabeth street, which the paid friends of the electric lighting company argued would be a total loss if a municipal plant was built, is not able to generate electricity enough to light the streets as well as the city could do it today with the dynamo it now has installed at the water works.

To fully appreciate the street lighting service the city is now getting from the Electric Light Company, take notice of the dim rays that are being shed from the arcs at street intersections. You will see probably the poorest excuse of street lights in Ohio, and the worst in all the country.

But it is all right. A republican council made that possible, and they are exactly what the Republican-Gazette advocated, so there is "no use kicking." But go out and look at them for your own personal satisfaction. You will go back in your home satisfied that \$85.00 for a 2000 nominal candle power was

cheaper than \$17.50 for no candle power.

We commend the Republican Gazette for the efforts it made in this matter for the taxayers, and we commend the electric light company for the business methods it is using to recover at an early day all the expenses, press included. It incurred in making some fellows see things as it wanted them too.

JULY WHEN?

"When are you going to test those arc lights?"

That is the question asked in the lead letter editorized in the various sections of today's Republican Gazette.

To which we reply courteously:

We are going to test those arc lights whenever the Republican Gazette brings us the permission of the Electric Light company and agrees in its spirit of a public benefit to pay one half of the expense that will be incurred, and a company's agreement with an ad-

davit that it will never accept any share of the expense from the Electric Light company. We will also require a statement from the Electric Light company, that it will not thwart the test, by seeing the expert after he is employed and having him engaged elsewhere at the appointed time. This precaution we insist on, because experts tests arranged for in past years by the board of service, to see just how much the city was being skinned on lights, have for some reason unknown, but guessed at accurately by the board, never been allowed to materialize.

If these reasonable and protective conditions are satisfactory, then let the test proceed.

Talk it over with the electric lighting monopoly, Bro. Campbell, and let us know your financially interested conclusions.

LESSONS IT TAUGHT.

The circumstances attending the murder of Elsie Sigel in the Chinese quarter of New York led the press of that city into almost universal comment upon the dangers attending missionary work by young white girls among the Mongolians of the Chinese districts.

The Times editorially said, in part:

"It is worth while to give some thought to the 'missionary game,' to use Police Captain Carey's phrase, played by young Chinamen in this country to gain the acquaintance and friendship of sentimental and over-sympathetic young women. The Mongolian rascal, for whom the police are now searching, has posed for years as a convert of extraordinary piety. The discouragement of the missionary Sunday schools for the Chinese is not desirable. They must have, on the whole, a beneficial influence, if not in making Christians of their pupils, at least in teaching them the language and something of the manners of this country. But why should the teachers in these schools be women? There are plenty of male missionaries."

The World said:

"The Sigel case was not needed to prove that the work of evangelization among the Chinese in America had far better be left to men missionaries."

The American, discussing the situation, declared:

"But we take this horribly ripe occasion to denounce the cults that look with complaisance upon the degradation of the women of the noblest human races."

The fault lies basically with the carelessness of American men in regard to their women. They know that the women are good. And they assume that it is needless to give any supervision to their conduct.

This tragedy of Miss Sigel and the 'christianized' Chinaman is a shocking reminder of the American masculine carelessness which tolerates free thought clubs, and miscegenation meetings, Hindoo fakirs, and Chinese Sunday schools. The Chinamen have only one idea of the missionary attention of white women.

And the women are permitted by men to run this terrible gauntlet without knowing."

THE JERICHO ROAD.

(Stoddard)
If you had known
That down near the Jericho road a strong man lay
Beaten and robbed, deserted, left for dead,
Would you, too, heedless pass upon your way?
Could you sleep calmly on your own soft bed?
Would you be still?

If you had known
An oasis might rise at your command
In the drear desert of one's daily life,
Make warm the heart and energize the hand
So weary with the long unequal strife,
Would you be still?

If you had known
The sweet, pure gospel of the "Inasmuch,"
That tells of your duty to the "least of these,"
And that a word of sympathy would touch
Heartstrings long silent, and now dormant keys,
Would you be still?

If you had known
How small divergence makes one man succeed,
How slight an error makes one master fail;
How at the moment that you give no heed,
One woe from you alone might turn the scale,
Would you be still?

If you had known
That in the end the Master would require
That you be a brother to your neighbor,
That as a brother's keeper you inspire
The faith that needs a life from such a tree,
Would you be still?

If you had known
That from your life so small a rift,
A gleam, a beam, a light or glance could bring
Peace, joy and comfort, with its own uplift,
To a lone heart and make the sad one sing,
Would you be still?

If you had known
That your life is but a spark,
A drop in the ocean, a speck in the sun,
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Would you be still?

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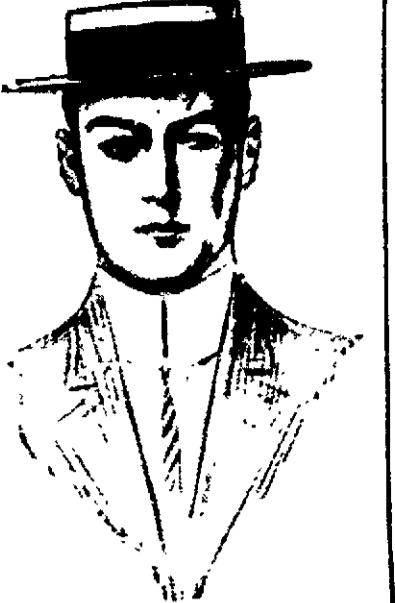
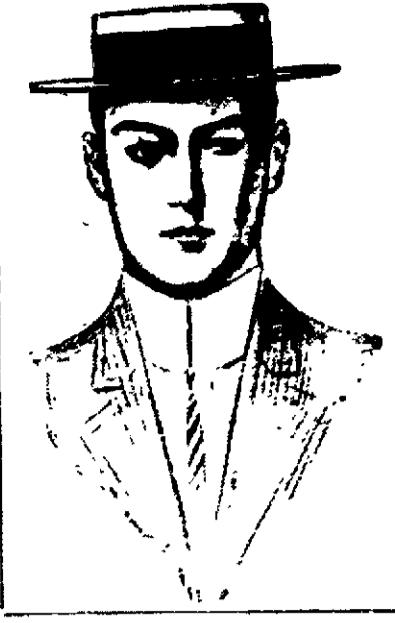
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FROM FACTORY TO YOU

ALL BUCKEYE HATS ARE MADE IN LIMA.

We save you the profits other dealers have to pay. You get the benefit. The Superiority of our Buckeye Hats is fully demonstrated by our fast increasing business. Popularity in Business cannot be gained without an equal amount of merit. One and one-half years ago The Buckeye Hatters made their bow to the people of Lima and vicinity with an introduction to our Buckeye Hats. Each day and each month the people of Lima have watched this business grow until Buckeye Hats today are the most popular and the most used of any hat ever introduced in this city.

The Reason: Is their exceptional fine Quality, combined with the most up-to-date styles with each and every hat, made from the most wear resisting materials known only to the best hatters, and only then in the highest priced hats, while Buckeye Hats contain all that makes a hat the best. The price is always \$2.00, no more, no less.

We Again Make Our Bow to the people of Lima and vicinity with an introduction to our new Hat Factory recently installed at 114 East Market Street, in the rear of our Buckeye Hat Store, where you and your friends are cordially invited to call and we will gladly show you another one of the many industries that Lima is honored with, and show you how Buckeye Hats are made, and prove to you it is better to patronize home industry, especially when you save money by doing so.




GREASE THE WHEELS OF INDUSTRY IN YOUR OWN TOWN BY WEARING BUCKEYE HATS.

The Buckeye Hatters

114 EAST MARKET STREET.

MAKERS OF THE BEST HATS IN THE WORLD AT \$2.00.

RECENTLY PATENTED

Was Invention of Lima Man of Much Needed Button Fastener.

NEW ARTICLE IS FOR CLOTHES

As Well as for Shoes and is Meeting Approval of Manufacturers.

On the 15th of June, Harry Allen Mabrey, of 777 west High street, received a patent on a new kind of fastener for buttons. This was primarily invented for use on buttoned shoes, but is equally well adapted to buttons on clothing.

Mr. Mabrey, who has resided in this city for several years, the son of a shoe manufacturer, and has himself been a practical shoemaker, being connected with the firm of Mabrey for the past year or more. It is said to be the impracticability of many of the so-called fasteners put on the market, and he has studied on the problem of one that would do the work satisfactorily for several years. Finally his ideas matured to such an extent that he made his first fastener and went to Washington, D. C. to look over the different patents to discover if his own infringed on any other in any way. It was entirely different and he went to work at once to have the idea patented, but the work of the office is so slow that though this was last December, it was not until the middle of this month that the patent was issued. Mr. Mabrey has applied for a patent in several foreign countries, England, France and Germany with the addition of Canada, and hopes to place his fastener in those places also. With the exception of the latter, however, the article must be manufactured in the country where it sells, Canada alone allowing the imported article to go on sale for one year.

For the present the fastener will be manufactured at Cincinnati, but if it proves successful the inventor will start a factory of his own on a moderate scale, probably in this city.

To gain a better idea of the patent than can be given by one not versed in the intricacies of the article in question the following paragraphs taken from the article granting the patent are appended to make plain to the reader the advantages, the use and the excellencies of the article in question.

This invention consists of an improved form of fastener of that class especially designed for securing buttons to shoes or fabric of some kind; button fasteners of the above type consist mainly of a wire staple con-

BANKING INTERESTS

of Nebraska Organize to Fight Guarantee of Bank Deposits.

FIFTY TWO JOIN IN THE PLEADING.

Law is Alleged by Them to be Confiscation of Property.

Lincoln, Neb., June 22.—John L. Webster, of Omaha, and former United States Senator W. V. Allen, attorneys for the banking interests of Nebraska, opposed to the state bank deposit guaranty law yesterday filed a suit in the federal court here for a restraining order against the state banking board and Samuel Patterson, its secretary. The petition asks that the state board be forbidden to levy an assessment to guarantee bank deposits. It asks that Patterson be prevented from taking his seal.

Fifty-two banks, national and state have joined in the pleading. It is alleged that the new act is confiscatory, taking property without due process of law and requiring the property of one bank to pay the liabilities of another, that its assessment provision is so indefinite as to permit an unlimited number of assessments being made against the banks and that the provision for immediate payment of depositors is illogical and impossible of fulfillment.

To avoid serious results take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder disorder such as backache, urinary irregularities, exhaustion, and you will soon be well. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

WENT TO LANDECK

Number of Lima Members of C. K. of O.

Some thirty of the members of the Delphos and Lima branches of the Catholic Knights of Ohio went to Landeck, where branch No. 70 had as their visitors during the entire day the state president, Fred S. Smith, of Akron, and the state secretary, C. J. Anthony, of Cleveland.

Colds that hang on weaken the constitution and develop into consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures persistent coughs that refuse to yield to other treatment. Do not experiment with untried remedies as delay may result in your cold settling on your lungs. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

needed directly with the button and a backing plate or disk with which the staple is connected, said disk being located on the side of the fabric opposite that at which the button is disposed.

The present invention resides in the peculiar manner of securing the wire staple to the backing of said disk whereby pull or strain on the button will only promote or increase the security of attachment of the button to the fabric eliminating likelihood of the button being torn off.

It adds spice to dreary life, encourages the human heart lifts the soul out of despair and makes new life and happiness. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 25 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vortkamp.

WILL GIVE CARD PARTY.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Knights of St. John will give a card party this evening in St. Rose hall.

THE SON'S RETURN ! ?

Lima theatre goers have awaited with much expectancy the arrival of the famous Biograph subject which is to be exhibited at the Royal Theatre Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. A brief synopsis of this reproduction follows. A country lad, son of an inn-keeper, decides to go to the city to earn a fortune and before leaving is given by his mother a miniature portrait of herself. In town, he attracts the attention of a banker, secures a position and in five years time holds a responsible position. He then determines to give his parents a surprise, he having heard of the deitative condition and having saved his earnings to revive them. During his absence he has grown a beard and upon his applying for lodgings at his old home, his father does not recognize him but observes the display of wealth. The old people decide to rob this supposed stranger, but awaken him in the attempt and strike him down unconscious. However thinking they have killed him they drag him to a lonely field, where he is discovered by his old sweetheart. Upon examining the purse, the old people find they have robbed the son. Explanations and forgiveness soon follow with a pleasant ending. A cool place to enjoy the latest pictures.

Summer coughs and colds are obtrusive and difficult to cure. The most prompt method is to take something pleasant which will gently move the bowels; a good laxative cough syrup. Bees' Laxative Cough Syrup will surely and promptly cure your cold. Sold by Red Cross Drug Store.

THE SON'S RETURN ! ? Royal Theatre's Biograph Hit.

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Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

(Incorporated by the State of New York Company)

JOHN R. HEGEMAN, PRESIDENT.

GREAT REDUCTION OF EXPENSES--INCREASED BENEFITS--LOWER RATES.



INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

In January, 1907, the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. largely increased the benefits in its Industrial policies by reason of a heavy reduction in expenses and improvement in mortality experience.

During the past three years the company has steadily reduced its expenses, so that it is enabled to make a further increase in benefits. Industrial insurance policies have a unit of weekly premium—three cents, five cents and multiples thereof—and the amount of insurance varies with the age.

All industrial life policies (premiums cease after age 74) Endowment policies at age 80 and adult twenty year endowment.

Policies issued since Jan. 1, 1907, will be increased in benefits about ten per cent,

according to a new table of benefits adopted for policies issued after July 1, 1909. In other words, not only does the Company issue a new table for policies hereafter issued, but it makes the increase retroactive since the present form of Limited Payment and Endowment at age 80 policies were adopted.

Upon the OLD INDUSTRIAL POLICIES the Company is paying out TWO AND A HALF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN BONUSES THIS YEAR, bringing up the total Bonuses and Concessions upon Industrial policies to EIGHTEEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN SIXTEEN YEARS. This is OVER AND ABOVE ANY AND ALL OBLIGATIONS expressed or implied in the policies.

The Metropolitan in its Industrial Department has the lowest Ratio of Expense of all the Industrial Insurance Companies in the world which pay immediate benefits. In FIVE YEARS its

Ratio of Expense to Premium Income has been Reduced

8 per cent. representing an

Annual Saving of Three and a Half Millions of Dollars

The new Convertible policy issued by the Company is a novel form of insurance which becomes fully paid-up life insurance in a few years and is then automatically converted into endowment insurance, the maturity of which is periodically shortened as payment of premiums continues.

The Company is ahead of the public demand for combination of term annuities, and serves the public better than any other agency.

INDUSTRIAL POLICIES IN FORCE: NEARLY 9,500,000, INSURANCE NEARLY \$1,500,000,000.

ORDINARY DEPARTMENT.

The Company has reduced expenses six per cent in this Department in the last FIVE years—representing an ANNUAL SAVING OF OVER A MILLION AND A QUARTER OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN THE ORDINARY DEPARTMENT.

The Company issues policies in the Ordinary Department in amounts from \$500 to \$1,000,000 upon all approved plans at the lowest rates. IN 1908 IT WROTE MORE PAID-FOR BUSINESS IN ITS ORDINARY OLD LINE INSURANCE (exclusive of industrial), in the United States and Canada, THAN ANY OTHER COMPANY.

All of its policies in the Ordinary as well as the Industrial Department are written on the non-participating plan. The Metropolitan pays its dividends at the start—that is to say, it cuts down the premiums. It believes the plain, common-sense men who make up the bulk of policy-holders look for a plain business contract. By plain business contracts we mean those which tell their whole story upon their face; which leave nothing to the imagination, borrow nothing from hope, require definite conditions and make definite promises in dollars and cents.

In both Departments combined the Company has, in each of the past fifteen years, written more paid-for insurance than any other company in the world.

The Company upon Its Total Business Has in the Last Ten Years Reduced Its Ratio of Expenses to Premium Income Fifteen Per Cent.

H. L. BRAND, Supt., Holland Block, Main and High Streets, Lima, Ohio.

L. W. LEHMKUHLE, Assistant, Main and Main Cross Streets, Findlay, Ohio.

L. C. KOCH, Assistant, Ahfeld Building, Detroit and Franklin Streets, Kenton, Ohio.

W. T. FEELY, Assistant, Woodward Building, 710 Ohio Avenue, Sidney, Ohio.

QUICK ACTION

**MARKED LAST NIGHT'S
MEETING OF CITY
COUNCIL.**

**Market Street Paving to be
Considered Next Mon-
day Night.**

AGGREGATE OF BIDS RECEIVED.

**Drinking Fountains to be
Placed About Square
and Elsewhere.**

**Permanent Improvement of
Public Square to be
Outlined.**

With President Bowsher absent and Vice Chairman Jones presiding, the city council met in regular session at 7 o'clock Monday evening.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved. President Bowsher arrived during the reading of the minutes.

Henry Van Horn filed a protest against an assessment for four sewer connections to his lot on north Jefferson street. The same was referred to the engineer and solicitor.

The appointment of Charles Can-

tiency, plumber; Andrew DeCurta,

architect; Jessie Clark, contractor;

Wallace Lands, insurance, T. D. Mc-

Laughlin, architect; Clint Smith,

contractor; E. D. Wentworth, elec-

trician, and C. S. Lathrop, contrac-

tor, as members of the commission

to act together with the council in

going over the proposed building

code, was affirmed.

O. G. Snyder filed a protest against an assessment for the grading of Elm street, owing to the triangular shape of his lot. The matter was referred to the street committee.

The following communication from the board of public service relative to the bids received for the paving of west Market street, was referred to the council as a committee of the whole to meet next Monday evening.

Lima, June 21, 1909.

To the City Council and the Property

Owners of West Market Street,

Lima, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—In compliance with

the provisions of the legislation au-

thorizing the improvement of west

Market street, we herewith submit

for your consideration and advice,

our engineer's report on the bids re-

ceived for said improvement on the

17th inst. We are sincerely anxious

to be guided by wise counsellors in determining what is for the best interest of all parties concerned in this very important public improvement and trust that the council and the property holders will join with us in arriving at a wise decision.

Very respectfully submitted,

WILBUR FISK,

WILLIAM WILSON,

W. T. HARPS

Board of Public Service

Lima, Ohio, June 21, 1909.

Gentlemen:—I submit herewith a carefully corrected summary of the aggregates involved in the various bids received for the improvement of west Market street on the 17th inst. based upon a close approximation of the various items that enter into the problem.

An embarrassing feature has arisen in reference to the bids on creosote block pavement growing out of the provision that bidders might also bid on blocks treated with sixteen pounds of heavy creosote oil, instead of twenty per cubic foot of timber, and that a cheaper form of construction might be contemplated than provided in the original specifications requiring the twenty pound treatment. You will remember that this provision was consigned to you yourselves and the city solicitor at the behest of the west Market street property owners' committee, in order that it might be possible for bidders on this class of pavement to figure on a construction that might enable them to get within the limits of the fund provided for making the improvement in question. This fund provided for by the ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds was necessarily considerably below the original estimate for this class of pavement, growing out of the limitation of the aggregate bond issue permissible in any one year. This addendum was deemed in keeping with a sense of fairness, seeing that it appeared to be the sense of the provision or the ordinance that bids on any and all kinds of pavements might be received and considered. The legal question has been raised, however, since the reception of the bids as to the possible evasion on the part of the property owners and the street railway company of assessments, based on something other than the specifications adopted by the council when the improvement resolution was passed and with reference to which resolution the legal notices were served. The aggregates derived from the summation of the bids are given for both forms of construction in the accompanying tabulated statement, but it is deemed unwise by the city solicitor to consider any bids other than those based on the original specifications. I have included in my tabulated statement the aggregates involved in my original estimates as well as the actual amount provided, for the city's share of this improvement, by the ordinance authorizing the issue of the bonds.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. K. BRICE,
City Engineer.

Hon. Board of Public Service, Lima,

Ohio.

Engineer's estimate for west Mar-

ket street with creosote block:

Total cost of imp. \$7,690.00

St. Railway Co.'s portion: 28,560.00

Remainder \$69,130.00

City's portion \$34,565.00

Property Owners 34,565.00
Engineer's estimate for the im-
provement of west Market street
with asphalt block.
Total cost of imp. \$82,650.00
Railway Co.'s portion 26,680.00

Remainder \$57,930.00
City's portion \$34,540.00
Property owners \$23,310.00

Engineer's estimate for the im-
provement of west Market street with
sheet asphalt.
Total cost of imp. \$87,190.00
Railway Co.'s portion 26,110.00

Remainder \$61,080.00
City's portion \$34,540.00
Property owners \$23,310.00

Amount of bond issue pro-
vided for to take care of the
city's portion of this
improvement \$52,940.00

This based on an aggre-
gate cost for the entire
improvement \$75,190.00

Creosote Block Summary.

Russell Jenison & Co., Toledo, O.

16 lb treatment on sand. \$87,093.00
20 lb treatment on sand. 91,293.00
20 lb treatment asphalt. 95,293.00

E. M. Ayers, Zanesville, Ohio:

16 lb treatment on sand. 89,531.00
20 lb treatment on sand. 84,331.00

J. O. Shoup & Co., Dayton, Ohio:

16 lb treatment on sand. 91,511.50
20 lb treatment on sand. 95,711.50

Andrews Asphalt Company, Hamilton, O.:

20 lb treatment on sand. 70,440.00
20 lb treatment on sand. 91,140.00

W. E. McHugh, Springfield Ohio:

16 lb treatment on sand. 87,517.50
20 lb treatment on sand. 107,317.50

Sheet Asphalt Summary.

Mayer Bros, aggregate for

Trinidad or Bermudez. \$70,685.00

J. F. Hill, aggregate for Gilsonite. 70,557.00

Andrews Asp. Co., Ber-

mudez or Trinidad. 68,640.00

S. S. Saxton Co., Saxton-
ite. 75,575.00

Asphalt Block Summary.

Asphalt Block Paving
Company. \$72,938.00

Bituminous Macadam Summary.

Lima Construction Com-
pany. \$75,034.00

Central Bituminous Com-
pany. 75,660.00

Brick Paving Summary.

Wm. E. McHugh, Metro-
politan block. \$68,317.50

Lima Con. Company, Was-
tall block. 66,144.00

J. O. Shoup & Co., Was-
tall block. 66,911.00

Bituminous Macadam Summary.

Wm. E. McHugh. \$68,427.50

Central Bituminous Paving
Company. 75,860.00

Petitions were received for street
lights to be placed at the following
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EVERY INCH CONTESTED IN TRIAL OF CHRIS GEIGER

Examination of Witnesses
Began at Opening of Court Tuesday.

YOAKUM FAMILY TELL OF ROBBERY.

Marshall Gray, of Deshler,
Told of Capture of the Two Prisoners.

Court opened at 9:40 o'clock this morning for the trial of the Geiger case with all witnesses present.

The defendant appeared in good spirits and during the time the jury were getting located in their seats he carefully scanned the countenance of each of them.

The court room was crowded to its capacity and the doors into the trial section were locked to exclude all but witnesses.

James Yoakum was the first witness called and in response to the questions of the prosecutor stated his age as 86 years and told the location of his home in Shawnee township. The aged witness could not remember the date his home was broken into and robbed. He stated that he and his wife slept in a bed room on the first floor and that the trunk exhibited as states exhibit No. 1 was at the foot of the bed and was locked. When he awakened he found his hands tied back to the head of the bed and his feet bound with a clothes line. When he awakened he could see shadows of men working with the trunk and found that they were tied to their

beds. She stated that she got loose from the ropes with which she was bound about half an hour after the robbers left. She cut Mr. Yoakum loose and called to her son-in-law and found that they were tied to their

In response to the inquiry if she knew John W. Beam she said she had seen Beam talking to Mr. Yoakum on the street and that she saw him at their home last fall.

Frederick Sauter, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Yoakum was next called.

He testified that he and his wife made their home with Mr. Yoakum at the time of the robbery on January 10, 1909.

He retired and was awakened about midnight by three men in the bedroom, who were masked and had revolvers.

Mr. Cooper asked the witness if he remembered what the guns looked like. Mr. Sauter replied, "They had awful big holes in them."

Two large guns offered as exhibits were about the size of the guns which the robbers pointed at him on the occasion of the robbery.

Mr. Sauter also identified the rope exhibited as that with which he was tied in bed.

He heard a noise resembling the breaking of a lock.

The robbers threatened Mr. Sauter if he did not tell where the money was. He stated that the money in his pocket and in Mr. Yoakum's trunk was all that he knew of. They took about \$9 and two Columbian half dollars from him and his wife. Two Columbian half dollars were exhibited by the state and identified by Mr. Sauter as those he had in his pocket book on the night of the robbery.

Mr. Sauter was released by Mrs. Yoakum and was down stairs about 2:30 a.m. when he notified the neighbors and sheriff of the robbery. Marshall Gray testified that he was

the money when the robbers left he replied, "I bet I did but I know it was gone before I looked."

He stated that the other contents of the trunk were scattered all over the room.

Who looked after your property in Lima?

John W. Beam, a colored man F. M. Foley was agent originally and Beam took charge of it after Foley's death.

Was Beam ever at your house?

Yes but I didn't see him. The answer was ruled out.

He stated that he was ill about half of the time Beam had charge of his property and afterward saw some movements he did not like and took the property out of Beam's hands after the robbery.

The key to the trunk was offered as an exhibit by the state, and identified by the witness as the key which he had in his possession at the time of the robbery.

Mrs. James Yoakum was next called. She stated her age as 69 years. She told of the robbers tying her and her husband. She saw them come into the room and screamed. She said they pinched her toes and told her to keep still. She stated the robbers had handkerchiefs tied over their faces. She identified the trunk exhibited as the one which was in their bed-room on the night of the robbery.

She stated that she got loose from the ropes with which she was bound about half an hour after the robbers left. She cut Mr. Yoakum loose and called to her son-in-law and found that they were tied to their

In response to the inquiry if she knew John W. Beam she said she had seen Beam talking to Mr. Yoakum on the street and that she saw him at their home last fall.

Frederick Sauter, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Yoakum was next called.

He testified that he and his wife made their home with Mr. Yoakum at the time of the robbery on January 10, 1909.

He retired and was awakened about midnight by three men in the bedroom, who were masked and had revolvers.

Mr. Cooper asked the witness if he remembered what the guns looked like. Mr. Sauter replied, "They had awful big holes in them."

Two large guns offered as exhibits were about the size of the guns which the robbers pointed at him on the occasion of the robbery.

Mr. Sauter also identified the rope exhibited as that with which he was tied in bed.

He heard a noise resembling the breaking of a lock.

The robbers threatened Mr. Sauter if he did not tell where the money was. He stated that the money in his pocket and in Mr. Yoakum's trunk was all that he knew of. They took about \$9 and two Columbian half dollars from him and his wife. Two Columbian half dollars were exhibited by the state and identified by Mr. Sauter as those he had in his pocket book on the night of the robbery.

Mr. Sauter was released by Mrs. Yoakum and was down stairs about 2:30 a.m. when he notified the neighbors and sheriff of the robbery. Marshall Gray testified that he was

Mr. Sauter stated that he knew that Mr. Yoakum had \$150 in gold and other money in the trunk.

Mr. Sauter stated that he was acquainted with John W. Beam, and had been sent to his office to see about rents which had been collected by him for Mr. Yoakum. Beam and Yoakum had conversation concerning the rents.

Mr. Sauter identified all the exhibits of the state.

Court recessed until 1:15 o'clock.

The afternoon session of court was opened at 1:25 o'clock.

Mrs. Fred Sauter was called as the fourth witness. Mrs. Sauter related the circumstances of the robbery in about the same manner as told by her husband. She could not positively identify the revolvers on exhibit as those the robbers had on the night of the robbery, but said they appeared the same.

She stated that after they were loosened from the ropes binding them, Mr. Yoakum and Mr. Sauter rang the dinner bell and then telephoned to the sheriff, who arrived with his deputies about five o'clock in the morning.

Judge Armstrong at this juncture offered a motion that the state should elect upon which count of the indictment, the trial shall proceed upon. Judge Mathers stated that he would rule upon the same Wednesday morning.

The first count of the indictment charged Geiger with burglary and larceny, the second, aiding and abetting Henderson, Martin and Dillon in the crime.

The third conspiring with John W. Beam to procure Henderson, Martin and Dillon to commit the crime.

The objection to the admission of evidence, which would be competent in reference to one count and not another brought out the discussion and resulted in the above motion.

The trial proceeded and Mrs. Sauter continued in her explanation of the conditions in the Yoakum household before and after the robbery, with reference to the trunk.

The defense did not cross-examine the witness.

Carl Jacobs conductor on the Ohio Electric Traction line, was next called. In response to the queries of the prosecutor the witness related the circumstances of the morning of January 10, when he left Lima at 7 o'clock in the morning on the run to Toledo. He heard of the Yoakum robbery before leaving the station at Lima, and at stop No. 4, 2 miles north of the city, two men boarded his car. He stated that the two men went to Deshler, and that in correcting a cash receipt, he had occasion to ask one man his name and he gave the name of James Martin.

The two men left the car at Deshler and the witness pointed them out to Marshal Gray of that village, who followed them.

G. W. Gray, Marshall of Deshler, was next called. He told of Conductor Jacob's pointing out the two men to him and of his following them from the car to a restaurant, following which he requested Mr. Kosier, his assistant to watch them.

About noon of that day he received word from Lima to watch for two men. The witness and assistants then started out to find the men and found them in a B. & O. bay car, and arrested them about 1 o'clock. Authorities from Lima arrived about 6 o'clock in the evening.

Prisoners were not searched by Gray only to see if they had guns, and they had guns, and they had not. Witness stated men were found in B. & O. car partially filled with hay. Witness searched surroundings of the car and found guns in a tie pile near the car, and identified the guns on exhibit as the guns found by him.

Marshall Gray testified that he was

present when Sheriff Van Gunters and others found an amount of money secreted in the box car. He stated that with the guns and ammunition he found two bottles of some unknown matter and that he hired a man to bring them to Lima.

Edward Keeler, assistant to Marshal Gray, at Deshler was next called and related the story of watching the two men who left the car at Deshler on the morning of January 10, and of locating the men in a box car standing on the siding of the B. & O. tracks, and that he pulled the door shut and locked it. He explained further how one of the men cut a hole through the door in an attempt to open the door and a companion of the witness struck the prisoner over the hand with a club and they were held under arrest were made by Marshal Gray and assistants.

Judge Armstrong objected to the admission of any evidence of the acts or statements of Henderson and Martin as evidence against the defendant, in which Judge Mathers concurred, but the court stated that the evidence is admissible for the purpose of showing that a crime has been committed and who committed it.

Judge Armstrong submitted authorities for the court's personal and a recess of 15 minutes was taken at 3 o'clock.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Stover, of Findlay, were Sunday guests of the latter's sister, Miss Matilda Koepke, of south Central avenue.

Harien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Arnold, is reported as quite sick.

Miss Leota Myers is the guest of Miss Laura Wertz of Wapakoneta, for a few days.

Mrs. T. E. Townsend and daughter Lucile, spent Sunday in Wapakoneta, the guests of friends in that city.

Miss Ethel Argue is visiting in Chanute, Kas., the guest of former school friends at National Park Seminary.

ASSESSORS REPORT

Of Personal Property in Wards and Townships.

Following is the report of the assessors of the personal property for taxation in the various wards of the city and townships of the county:

Amanda township	\$194,850
Auglaize township	187,630
Bath township	195,270
German township	246,310
Marion township	196,555
Monroe township	212,030
Perry township	265,810
Richland township	213,350
Bluffton	370,740
Shawnee township	75,140
Spencer township	171,905
Spaneville township	106,350
Sugar Creek township	95,595
Delphos	173,500
Lima, 1st Ward	162,625
Lima, 2nd Ward	349,570
Lima, 3rd Ward	223,930
Lima, 4th Ward	175,750

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PRISONERS ARRIVE To Testify in Two Criminal Cases.

John Henderson, James Martin, Thomas Dillon and Tony Williams were brought to this city from the penitentiary at noon today. The first three were brought to testify in the case of the State of Ohio against Chris Geiger, and Williams to testify in the cases of the State vs. Edward Mines, which is assigned for trial Thursday.

Guards Peter Faith, Henry Heret and Chris Nass of the Ohio Penitentiary accompanied the prisoners.

AMBULANCE CALL.

Mrs. Earl Jennings was moved from her home at 339 east North street, to the City hospital yesterday evening in the Williams & Davis ambulance.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea should be a toilet necessity of every lady of social prominence. Makes bright, happy dispositions, perfect complexions. The greatest blood and skin remedy 35 cents, tea or tablets H. F. Vortkamp

REQUIEM MASS

Sung Over the Remains of Miss Werst.

Requiem high mass was sung over the remains of Miss Anna Werst in St. Rose church this morning at 8:10 o'clock by the Rev. A. E. Manning, who also preached the funeral sermon.

The pall bearers were Anthony, Fred, Charles and Harry Pfum, four first cousins of the deceased.

The casket was covered with beautiful floral designs and the services were attended by a large concourse of friends of the bereaved family. Interment was made in Gethsemane.

The following relatives from a distance were in attendance at the funeral: Mrs. Louis Winegartner, Mrs. Magdalena Smith, of Sidney; Mrs. John Franz, of Piqua; Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, Philip Werst, J. E. Werst and Miss Amelia Werst, of Wapakoneta; Miss Mary Amann, of Chicago; Mrs. Mat Basing, Mrs. John Murray, Miss Cecilia Amann, and Fred Wiskier, of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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Opening Day—Wednesday, June 23—Continuing Throughout the Week.

You are most cordially invited to inspect a beautiful display of fine Persian Rugs imported direct by Messrs. Menendian and Fredoun, who will conduct this sale for us for the next few weeks.

These fine Oriental Rugs come in all sizes from the small mats to the large room size rugs. The colorings and patterns are beautiful, and the prices very reasonable. Come in, if you intend to purchase or not, you will feel amply repaid for the time spent in looking them over. A special opening day—Wednesday, June 23.

Viyella Flannels for Summer Wear.

Viyella Flannels are ideal for summer wear. Coming in a light weight all-wool weave, being washable and non-shrinking, they are most desirable for men's shirts, pajamas, children's frocks, boys' suits, women's waists, street suits, kilimons and bathing suits. They come in white and light grounds with stripes of pink, blue, tan, gray, brown, or black, also in plain white, are 31 in wide, and sell for 75c the yard.

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A Sensational Purchase—20,000 yard—10c to 25c values at 5c, 9c and 12 1/2c yard.

Wednesday Morning we place on sale 20,000 yards of sheer summer Wash Fabrics, a recent purchase consisting of fine Batistes, Tape Stripes, Ombre Weaves, Soutache effects, Corded weaves, Tennis Stripes, fine Organjes, etc., all full pieces and perfect goods—no remanats and no seconds—bought to sell at a bargain—and when we say bargain you know that means exceptional good values sold at a seasonal time.

In this lot you will find all the new styles and colorings, and when you note the quality, the prices will more than please you. These are regular 10c, 18c and 25c goods—we put them in three lots at

5c, 9c and 12 1/2c the yard.

Come early as such bargains will not last long at this season of the year.

Bargains in Wash Jacket Suits \$18.00 to \$30 Suits for \$12.75 each.

We have just one dozen Women's Wash Jacket Suits of fancy stripe Imported Rep and Linen in tans, blues, browns, etc., handsomely tailored jackets, extra full gored skirts, strap trimmed, and stitched. The tailoring of these suits is as fine as in the high grade cloth suits, and the material is heavy enough for late Fall wear. These Suits were priced to sell at \$18, \$